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In re application of:
Mark West DECISION ON PETITION
Serial No.: 09/683,907
Filed: February 28, 2002
For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR ATTACHING
UN-FORGEABLE BIOMETRIC DATA TO ETAL

This is a decision on the petition received on July 17, 2003, to withdraw the holding of abandonment in the above-identified application.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to reply within the meaning of 37 C.F.R. 1.113 in timely manner to the Notice to File Missing Parts mailed on March 13, 2002. Which set a shortened statutory period for reply of two (2) months. Accordingly, this application became abandoned May 14, 2002.

On July 17, 2003, the office received a communication from the applicant of record. Enclosed was an acknowledgement that the applicant never received the Notice to File Missing Parts mailed on March 13, 2002.

The above application remains abandoned.

The applicant is given **two months** from the date of this petition to comply to the below requirements to revive the above-identified application.

- ✓ 1. A change of address notice is needed.
- ✓ 2. A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- ✓ 3. A surcharge fee of \$65.00 for filing a late declaration.
- ✓ 4. A fee of \$650.00 to Revive and unintentionally abandoned application.

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION


FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 65.**

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*


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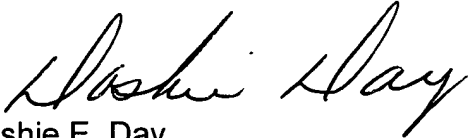
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A balance of \$715.00 and the above-required items are needed to revive the above-identified application.

Enclosed is a copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts mailed March 13, 2002 and several forms to help with the filing requirements.

Telephone inquiries concerning this matter may be directed to Doshie E. Day (703) 308-3640.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Doshie Day".

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